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4 October 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR: Colonel White

THROUGH : Mr. Lloyd

SUBJECT : Secrecy Agreement (Regulation No. [REDACTED]  
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REFERENCE : Memo dtd 12 Sep 55 to DD/S from SPA-DD/S,  
same subject

1. Per your instructions I have read the Secrecy Agreement  
"from the layman's point of view."

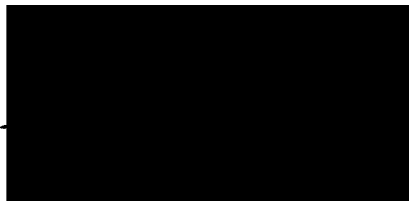
2. The Agreement impresses me as being basically a legal  
document and, as such, requires careful reading. When carefully  
read it is quite understandable and I do not believe the language  
used unduly compromises the principles of straightforward writing.  
There are several rather complicated passages in the text which  
probably require a second look by the average reader, but in view  
of the gravity of the issue this is considered desirable.

3. There appears to be duplication in paragraphs 5 and 8  
regarding publications which may cause the reader to probe for  
significant differences, but I do not see this as a serious flaw  
in the document. In general, the Agreement has a good psychological  
punch and leaves the reader with the firm conviction that employment  
with CIA requires a closed mouth.

4. In my opinion, the Agreement does not contain internal  
inconsistencies or literary faults which warrant revision.

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